

STATE OF VERMONT  
PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Docket No. 7545

Petition of Vermont Electric Cooperative, Inc. for a       )  
Certificate of Public Good, pursuant to 30 V.S.A.       )  
Section 248, authorizing the replacement of 5.25 miles       )  
of 46 kV transmission line that begins just west of       )  
Hinman Settler Road in Derby, Vermont, and ends at       )  
VEC's West Charleston Substation in Charleston,       )  
Vermont       )

Entered: 1/5/2010

**CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC GOOD ISSUED**  
**PURSUANT TO 30 V.S.A. SECTION 248**

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that the Public Service Board of the State of Vermont this day found and adjudged that the proposed replacement by Vermont Electric Cooperative, Inc. ("VEC") of 5.25 miles of 46 kV transmission line that begins at Hinman Settler Road in Derby, Vermont, and ends at VEC's substation in West Charleston, Vermont, and the replacement of existing steel towers with single wood poles, will promote the general good of the State, subject to the following conditions:

1. Construction, operation and maintenance of the project shall be in accordance with the plans and evidence submitted in this proceeding.
2. Prior to proceeding with construction, VEC shall obtain all necessary permits and approvals. Construction, operation, and maintenance of the proposed Project shall be in accordance with such permits and approvals, and with all other applicable regulations, including those of the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.
3. This Certificate of Public Good shall not be transferred without prior approval of the Board.

Dated at Montpelier, Vermont, this 5th day of January, 2010.

<u>s/ James Volz</u>	)	
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<u>s/ David C. Coen</u>	)	BOARD
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	)	OF VERMONT
<u>s/ John D. Burke</u>	)	

OFFICE OF THE CLERK

FILED: January 5, 2010

ATTEST: s/ Susan M. Hudson  
Clerk of the Board

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